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38/... The human rights situation in the Syrian Arab Republic

Paragraph 27 *should read*

27. *Further strongly condemns* the terrorist acts and violence committed against civilians by the so-called Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (Daesh), Al-Nusrah Front and other terrorist organizations designated by the Security Council, and their continued gross, systematic and widespread abuses of international human rights law and violations of international humanitarian law, reaffirms that terrorism, including the actions of the so-called Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (Daesh), cannot and should not be associated with any religion, nationality or civilization, stresses the importance of the full implementation of Security Council resolution 2170 (2014) of 15 August 2014, and calls upon all States not to render any support to terrorists in the Syrian Arab Republic;

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After paragraph 32, insert a new paragraph *reading*

32 bis. *Expresses its particular concern* at the use, making and stockpiling of chemical weapons by terrorist groups, and calls for an investigation into all relevant allegations, including by identifying the sources and supply routes of precursor materials;

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After paragraph 36, insert a new paragraph *reading*

36 bis. *Expresses its concern* at the collaboration of non-State actors, including business enterprises, funds, organizations and entities, with terrorist groups, stresses that such cooperation directly contributes to grave violations of international humanitarian and human rights law, and in this regard requests the Commission of Inquiry to collect data on such cooperation with a view to ensuring the future accountability of those responsible;

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38/... The human rights situation in the Syrian Arab Republic

After paragraph 39, insert a new paragraph *reading*

39 bis. *Expresses its concern* at the continued practice of applying unilateral coercive measures against the Syrian Arab Republic, which indiscriminately affect the enjoyment of all human rights by the Syrian people and exacerbate their suffering;

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38/... Accelerating efforts to eliminate violence against women and girls: preventing and responding to violence against women and girls in digital contexts

Paragraph 10 (f) *should read*

(f) Developing and implementing educational programmes and teaching materials based on full and accurate information, for all adolescents and youth, in a manner consistent with their evolving capacities, with their meaningful participation, with appropriate direction and guidance from parents and legal guardians, and with the active involvement of all relevant stakeholders, in order to empower them to safely use and navigate digital technologies, to modify the social and cultural patterns of conduct of men and women of all ages, to eliminate prejudices and to promote and build decision-making, communication and risk reduction skills for the development of respectful relationships based on gender equality and human rights, as well as teacher education and training programmes for both formal and non-formal education;

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38/... Accelerating efforts to eliminate violence against women and girls: preventing and responding to violence against women and girls in digital contexts

Paragraph 11 (d) *should read*

(d) Ensuring the promotion and protection of the human rights of all women and their sexual and reproductive health and reproductive rights, in accordance with the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development, the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action and the outcome documents of their review conferences, including through the development and enforcement of policies and legal frameworks, and strengthening health systems that make quality comprehensive sexual and reproductive health-care services and commodities universally accessible and available, including in digital contexts, including, inter alia, safe and effective methods of modern contraception, emergency contraception, prevention programmes for adolescent pregnancy, maternal health care, such as skilled birth attendance and emergency obstetric care, which will reduce obstetric fistula and other complications of pregnancy and delivery, safe abortion where such services are permitted by national law, and the prevention and treatment of reproductive tract infections, sexually transmitted infections, HIV and reproductive cancers;

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Egypt, Russian Federation,* Saudi Arabia: amendment to draft resolution A/HRC/38/L.1/Rev.1

38/... Elimination of all forms of discrimination against women and girls

1. Sixth preambular paragraph

For on the basis of sex and gender *read* on the basis of sex

2. Paragraph 3 (e)

For discrimination against women and girls based on pregnancy, maternity, marital status, age, race, sex or gender *read* discrimination against women and girls based on pregnancy, maternity, marital status, age, race or sex

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38/... Elimination of all forms of discrimination against women and girls

In the nineteenth preambular paragraph *delete* intimate partner violence

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38/... Civil society space: engagement with international and regional organizations

The fifth preambular paragraph *should read*

Recalling also all other Human Rights Council and General Assembly resolutions relevant to creating and maintaining civil society space, inter alia, those addressing freedom of opinion and expression; the rights to freedom of peaceful assembly and of association; protecting human rights defenders; equal participation in political and public affairs; cooperation with the United Nations, its representatives and mechanisms in the field of human rights; promotion and protection of human rights in the context of peaceful protests; the promotion, protection and enjoyment of human rights on the Internet; the promotion and protection of economic, social and cultural rights, including the right to development; and addressing racial discrimination and intolerance,

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38/... Civil society space: engagement with international and regional organizations

Sixteenth preambular paragraph

For soliciting, receiving and utilizing resources *read* soliciting, receiving and utilizing resources in a legal and transparent manner

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38/... Civil society space: engagement with international and regional organizations

After paragraph 2, insert a new paragraph *reading*

2 bis. *Recognizes* the importance of civil society engagement with international and regional organizations in accordance with the purposes and principles of the Charter of the United Nations, where applicable, and Economic and Social Council resolution 1996/31, while respecting the sovereignty and territorial integrity of States;

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38/... Civil society space: engagement with international and regional organizations

1. Paragraph 15

The paragraph *should read*

15. *Encourages* States to apply good practices for the creation and maintenance of a safe and enabling environment for civil society;

2. Paragraph 19

Delete

with particular reference to the recommendations made by the High Commissioner in his report, and invites States and other stakeholders, including the Office of the High Commissioner and civil society, to participate in this exercise;

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Egypt, South Africa: amendment to draft resolution A/HRC38/L.19/Rev.1

38/... The contribution of the Human Rights Council to the prevention of human rights violations

After the sixth preambular paragraph, insert a new paragraph *reading*

Reaffirming the existing procedures and mechanisms of the Human Rights Council, particularly the universal periodic review, the special procedures, the complaints procedure, the Advisory Committee and the open-ended intergovernmental working groups, whose mandates are relevant to the promotion and protection of human rights and the prevention of human rights violations,

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